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"PROCESS FOR FORMING DECORATIVE FILMS AND RESULTING PRODUCTS"

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

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Sir:

This responds to the non-final Office action mailed September 7, 2005 for which a response is due December 7, 2005. Applicant respectfully requests entry of this Amendment, reconsideration on the merits of the Application, and allowance of the claims.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2.

Listing of the claims begins on page 5.

Remarks begin on page 8.